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OF MOVING RECORDING MEDIUM

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Enclosed are:

- (X) 27 pages of specification, including 8 claims and an abstract.
- () an executed oath or declaration, with power of attorney.
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- (X) 6 sheet(s) of informal drawing(s).
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- () Assignment(s) of the invention to _____ and Assignment Cover Sheet.
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- (X) Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and cited references.
- () Claim for Priority and Priority Document.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Filed

- a) Basic Fee \$ 770.00
- b) Independent Claims 8 - 3 = 5 x \$ 86.00 = \$ 430.00
- c) Total Claims 8 - 20 = 0 x \$ 18.00 = \$ _____
- d) Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims \$ 290.00 = \$ _____
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